Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 2 of 192

Amendments to the Claims:

Please cancel Claims 103-121 and 144-145 without prejudice or disclaimer, and amend Claims 49, 56, 60-61, 88, 129 and 133 as set forth below.

1-48. (Canceled)

49. (Currently amended) A substrate for a protein kinase, wherein the substrate comprises a peptide and at least one fluorophore, wherein a fluorophore is attached to a serine, a threonine, or a tyrosine on at least one terminal end of the peptide, wherein phosphorylation by the protein kinase of the terminal serine, the terminal threonine, or the terminal tyrosine to which the fluorophore is attached produces at least a 20% change in fluorescence intensity, and wherein the substrate is selected from the group consisting of:

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 3 of 192

wherein F is phenylalanine, K is lysine, and R is arginine; and wherein the LINKER is selected from the group consisting of N-methyl glycine, L-proline, D-proline,

50-55. (Canceled)

56. (Currently amended) A substrate for a protein kinase, wherein the substrate comprises:

a peptide <u>substrate</u> for the <u>protein</u> kinase, wherein the <u>peptide</u> comprises eomprising a serine, a threonine, or a tyrosine on a terminal end of the <u>peptide</u>;

at least one fluorophore, wherein a fluorophore is attached to the serine, the threonine, or the tyrosine on the terminal end of the peptide; and

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 4 of 192

a photolabile side chain attached to the serine, the threonine, or the tyrosine on the terminal end of the peptide, wherein the photolabile side chain blocks transfer of a phosphoryl group from adenosine triphosphate to a hydroxyl moiety of the serine, the threonine, or the tyrosine so that the substrate cannot be phosphorylated by a protein kinase until the photolabile side chain is removed from the substrate; and

wherein the the photolabile side chain comprises the structure

or a fluorophore is attached to the peptide by a linker selected from the group consisting of

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 5 of 192

wherein

- (i) the substrate is specific for a protein kinase subtype,
- (ii) the fluorophore is attached to the C-terminal end of the peptide,

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 6 of 192

(iii) a fluorophore is attached to each terminal end of the peptide,

(iv) a first fluorophore is attached to a terminal end of the peptide and a second fluorophore, with photophysical properties distinct from the first fluorophore, is attached to any nonterminal site on the peptide,

- (v) the fluorophore is a 7-nitrobenz-2-oxa-1,3-diazole derivative,
- (vi) the fluorophore is attached to the peptide by a linker selected from the group consisting of a carboxamide linker, an aminobenzoic acid linker, a sulfonamide linker, a urea linker, a thiourea linker, an ester linker, a thioester linker, an alkylamine linker, an arylamine linker, and a thioether linker, and/or
 - (vii) the substrate further comprises a carbohydrate, a lipid or a nucleic acid.
- 57. (Original) The substrate of claim 56, wherein the photolabile side chain comprises the structure

- 58. (Original) The substrate of claim 56, wherein the substrate comprises a serine with a photolabile side chain that blocks phosphoryl transfer.
 - 59. (Original) The substrate of claim 58, wherein the substrate has the structure

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 7 of 192

$$\begin{array}{c|c} O_2N & OCH_3 \\ OCH_3 \\ O\\ O-N & O \end{array}$$
 Phe-Arg-Arg-Arg-Arg-Lys-amide

- 60. (Original) The substrate of claim 56, wherein after removal of the photolabile side chain, phosphorylation by a protein kinase of the terminal serine, the terminal threonine, or the terminal tyrosine to which the fluorophore is attached produces at least a 20% change in fluorescence intensity.
- 61. (Currently amended) The substrate of claim 56, wherein after removal of the photolabile side chain, phosphorylation by a protein kinase of the terminal serine, the terminal threonine, or the terminal tyrosine to which the fluorophore is attached produces at least a 20% increase in fluorescence intensity. The substrate of claim 60, wherein the change in fluorescence intensity when the substrate is phosphorylated by the protein kinase is an increase in fluorescence intensity.
- 62. (Currently amended) The substrate of claim 56, wherein after removal of the photolabile side chain, phosphorylation by a protein kinase of the terminal serine, the terminal threonine, or the terminal tyrosine to which the fluorophore is attached produces at least a 20% decrease in fluorescence intensity. The substrate of claim 60, wherein the change in fluorescence intensity when the substrate is phosphorylated by the protein kinase is a decrease in fluorescence intensity.
 - 63. (Previously presented) The substrate of claim 60, wherein phosphorylation of

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 8 of 192

the substrate by the protein kinase produces at least a 70% change in fluorescence intensity.

- 64. (Original) The substrate of claim 63, wherein phosphorylation of the substrate by the protein kinase produces at least a 100% change in fluorescence intensity.
- 65. (Original) The substrate of claim 64, wherein phosphorylation of the substrate by the protein kinase produces at least a 150% change in fluorescence intensity.
- 66. (Original) The substrate of claim 65, wherein phosphorylation of the substrate by the protein kinase produces at least a 250% change in fluorescence intensity.
- 67. (Previously presented) The substrate of claim 56, wherein the substrate is specific for a protein kinase subtype.
- 68. (Original) The substrate of claim 67, wherein the substrate is specific for protein kinase C.
- 69. (Original) The substrate of claim 68, wherein the substrate is specific for isoforms α , β , and γ of protein kinase C.
- 70. (Withdrawn) The substrate of claim 67, wherein the substrate is specific for protein kinase A, protein kinase B, protein kinase D, protein kinase G, Ca⁺/calmodulin-dependent protein kinase, mitogen-activated protein kinase, protein kinase mos, protein kinase raf, protein tyrosine kinase, tyrosine kinase abl, tyrosine kinase src, tyrosine kinase yes, tyrosine kinase fps, tyrosine kinase met, cyclin-dependent protein kinase, or cdc2

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 9 of 192

kinase.

71. (Previously presented) The substrate of claim 56, wherein the substrate further comprises a carbohydrate, a lipid or a nucleic acid.

72. (Canceled)

- 73. (Previously presented) The substrate of claim 56, wherein the fluorophore is attached to the C-terminal end of the peptide.
- 74. (Previously presented) The substrate of claim 56, wherein the fluorophore is attached to the N-terminal end of the peptide.
- 75. (Previously presented) The substrate of claim 56, wherein a fluorophore is attached to each terminal end of the peptide.
- 76. (Original) The substrate of claim 75, wherein fluorophores with distinct photophysical properties are attached to different terminal ends of the peptide.
- 77. (Previously presented) The substrate of claim 56, wherein a first fluorophore is attached to a terminal end of the peptide and a second fluorophore, with photophysical properties distinct from the first fluorophore, is attached to any nonterminal site on the peptide.
- 78. (Previously presented) The substrate of claim 56, wherein the fluorophore is a 7-nitrobenz-2-oxa-1,3-diazole derivative.

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 10 of 192

79. (Withdrawn) The substrate of claim 56, wherein the fluorophore is a

fluorescein derivative.

80. (Withdrawn) The substrate of claim 56, wherein the fluorophore is selected

from the group consisting of a dansyl derivative, an acridine derivative, an Alexa Fluor

derivative, a BODIPY derivative, an Oregon Green derivative, a Rhodamine Green

derivative, a Rhodamine Red-X derivative, a Texas Red derivative, a Cascade Blue

derivative, a Cascade Yellow derivative, a Marina Blue derivative, a Pacific Blue

derivative, an AMCA-X derivative, and a coumarin derivative.

81. (Canceled)

82. (Withdrawn) The substrate of claim 56, wherein the fluorophore is attached to

the peptide by a metal chelating linker.

83. (Previously presented) The substrate of claim 56, wherein the fluorophore is

attached to the peptide by a linker selected from the group consisting of a carboxamide

linker, an aminobenzoic acid linker, a sulfonamide linker, a urea linker, a thiourea linker,

an ester linker, a thioester linker, an alkylamine linker, an arylamine linker, an ether

linker, and a thioether linker.

84. (Withdrawn) The substrate of claim 56, wherein the fluorophore is attached to

the peptide by a linker selected from the group consisting of N-methyl glycine, L-proline,

D-proline,

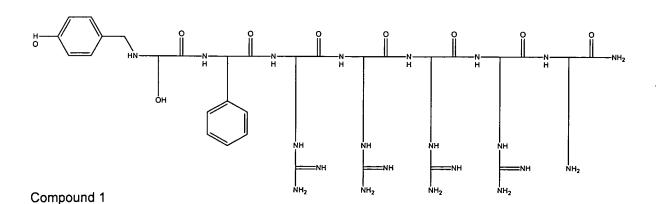
397236.1

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 11 of 192

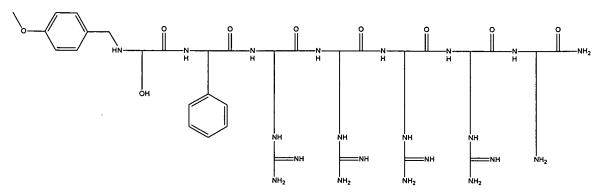
85. (Canceled)

- 86. (Previously presented) A composition comprising the substrate of claim 56, and a carrier.
- 87. (Original) The composition of claim 86, wherein the composition is a pharmaceutical composition and the carrier is a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 88. (Currently amended) A chemical compound selected from the group of compounds consisting of: set forth in Table 3.



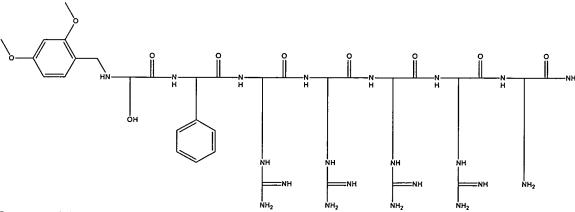
Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 12 of 192



Compound 2

Compound 3



Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 13 of 192

Compound 5

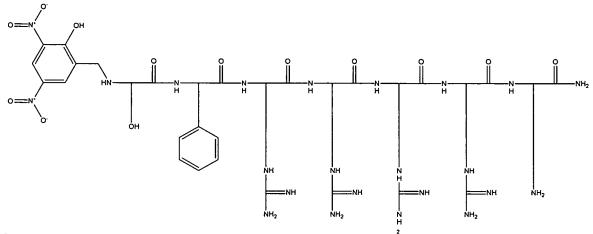
Compound 6

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 14 of 192

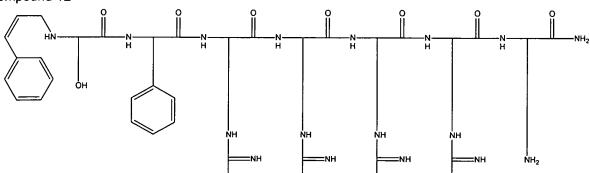
Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 15 of 192



Compound 11

Compound 12

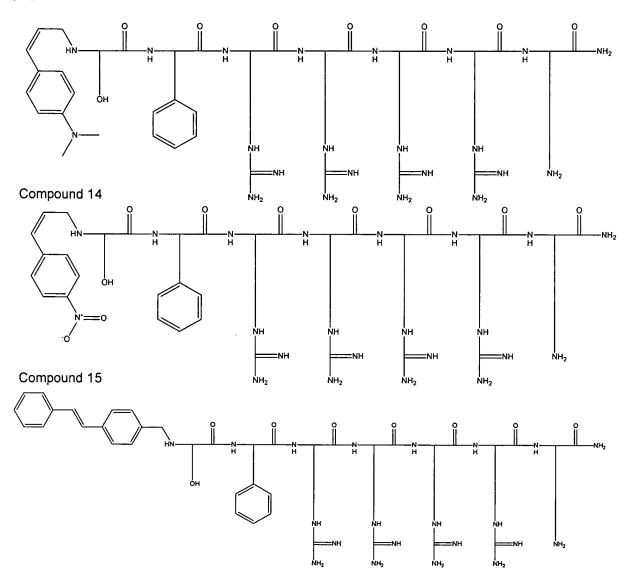


NH₂

NH₂

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 16 of 192



Compound 16

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 17 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 18 of 192

Compound 20

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 19 of 192

Compound 23

Compound 24

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 20 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 21 of 192

Compound 29

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 22 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 23 of 192

Compound 35

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 24 of 192

Compound 37

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

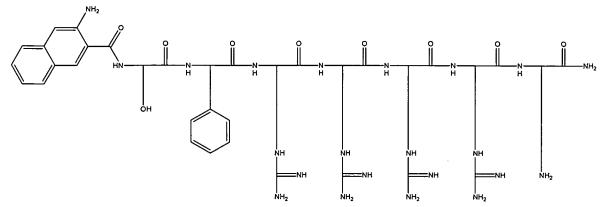
page 25 of 192

Compound 40

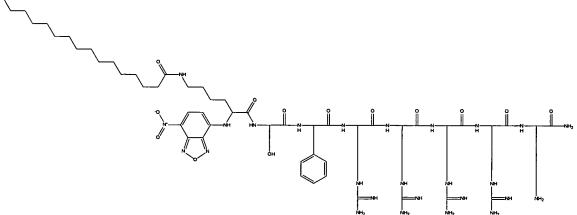
Compound 41

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

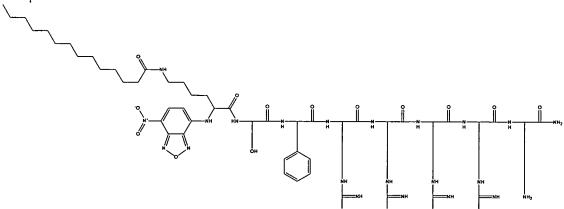
page 26 of 192





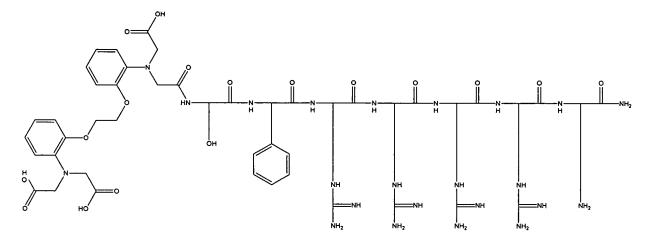






Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 27 of 192



Compound 46

Compound 47

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 28 of 192

Compound 49

Compound 50

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 29 of 192

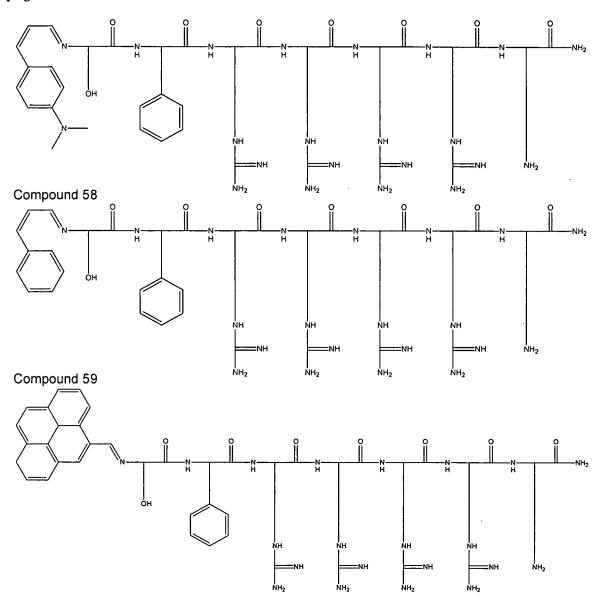
Compound 52

Compound 53

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004 page 30 of 192

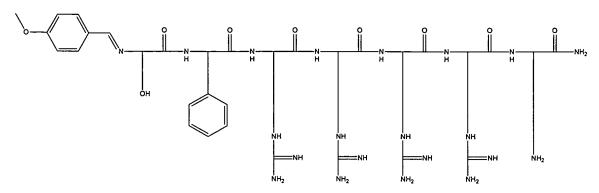
Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 31 of 192



Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 32 of 192

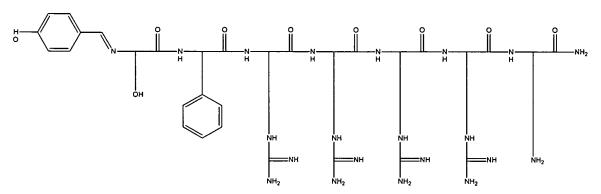


Compound 61

Compound 62

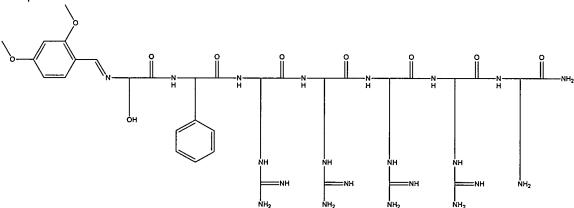
Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 33 of 192



Compound 64

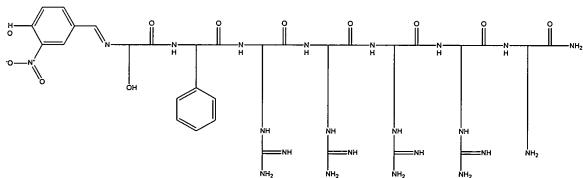
Compound 65



Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 34 of 192

Compound 67



Compound 69

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 35 of 192

Compound 71

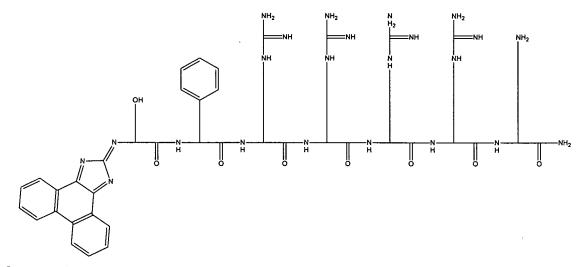
Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 36 of 192

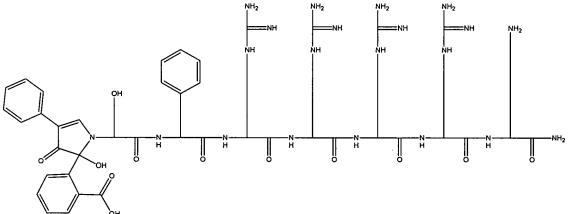
Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 37 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004 page 38 of 192



Compound 77

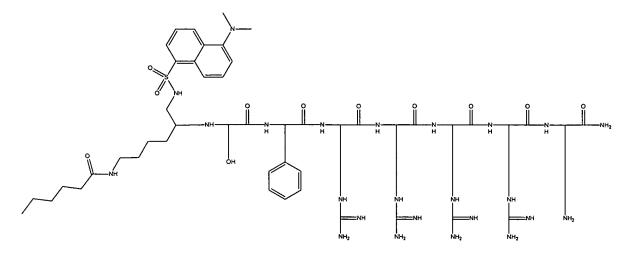


Filed: January 9, 2004

page 39 of 192

Compound 80

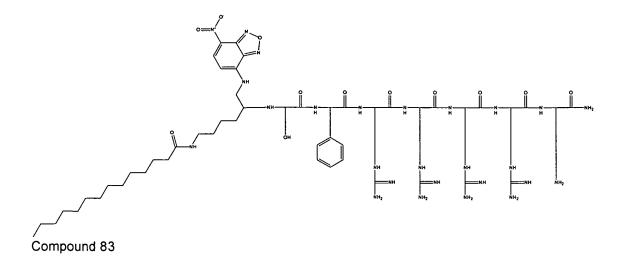
Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004 page 40 of 192

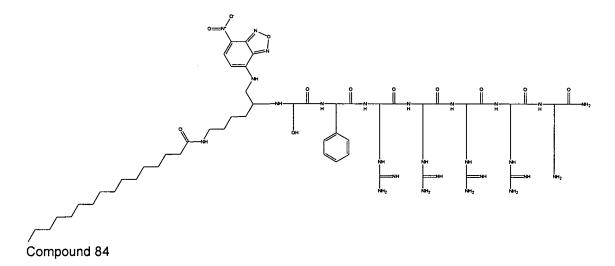


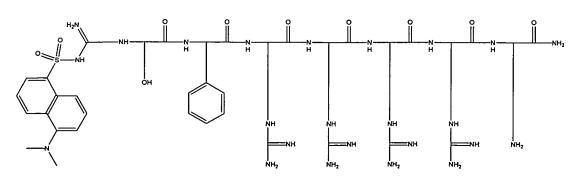
Compound 81

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 41 of 192







Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 42 of 192

Compound 86

Compound 87

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 43 of 192

Compound 89

Compound 90

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 44 of 192

Compound 92

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 45 of 192

NH₂

NH₂

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 46 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 47 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 48 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 49 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 50 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 51 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 52 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 53 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 54 of 192

Compound 117

Compound 119

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 55 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 56 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 57 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 58 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 59 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 60 of 192

Compound 132

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 61 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 62 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 63 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 64 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 65 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 66 of 192

Compound 146

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 67 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 68 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 69 of 192

Compound 155

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 70 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 71 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 72 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 73 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 74 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 75 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 76 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 77 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 78 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 79 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 80 of 192

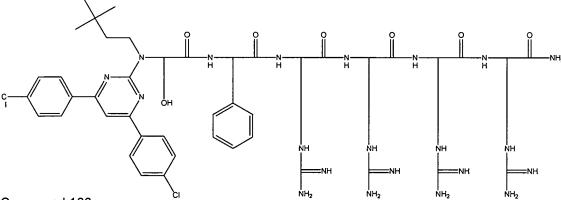
Applicant: David S. Lawrence

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 81 of 192

Compound 186

Compound 187



Compound 188

Applicant: David S. Lawrence

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 82 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 83 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 84 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004 page 85 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004 page 86 of 192

Compound 200

Compound 201

Compound 202

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 87 of 192

Compound 203

Compound 204

Compound 205

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 88 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 89 of 192

397236.1

Applicant: David S. Lawrence

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004 page 90 of 192

Compound 213

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 91 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 92 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 93 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 94 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 95 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 96 of 192

Compound 225

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 97 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004 page 98 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004 page 99 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 100 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004 page 101 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 102 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 103 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 104 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 105 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004 page 106 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 107 of 192

Compound 250

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 108 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 109 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 110 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 111 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 112 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 113 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 114 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 115 of 192

397236.1

Compound 266

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 116 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 117 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 118 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 119 of 192

Compound 274

397236.1

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 120 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 121 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 122 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 123 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 124 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004 page 125 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 126 of 192

Compound 293

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 127 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 128 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 129 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 130 of 192

Compound 302

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 131 of 192

397236.1

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 132 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 133 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 134 of 192

Compound 311

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 135 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 136 of 192

Compound 315

Compound 316

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004 page 137 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 138 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 139 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 140 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 141 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 142 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 143 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 144 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 145 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 146 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 147 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 148 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 149 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 150 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 151 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 152 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004 page 153 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 154 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 155 of 192

Compound 358

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 156 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 157 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 158 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 159 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 160 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 161 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 162 of 192

Compound 373

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 163 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 164 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 165 of 192

Applicant: David S. Lawrence Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 166 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 167 of 192

Compound 382

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 168 of 192

Compound 385

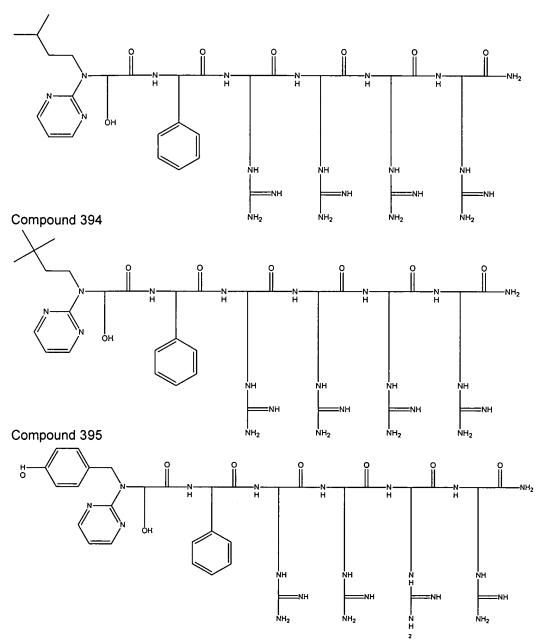
Filed: January 9, 2004 page 169 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 170 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 171 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 172 of 192

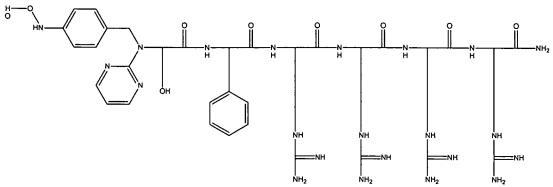


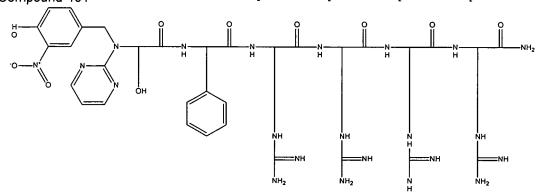
Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 173 of 192

Filed: January 9, 2004

page 174 of 192





Compound 402

Filed: January 9, 2004 page 175 of 192

Compound 404

Compound 405

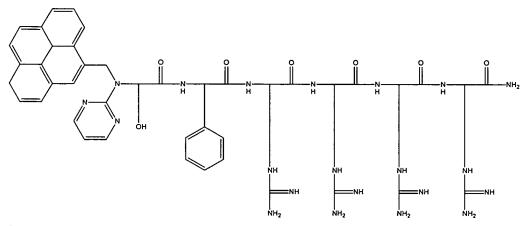
Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 176 of 192

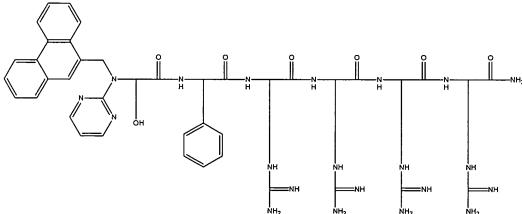
Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 177 of 192

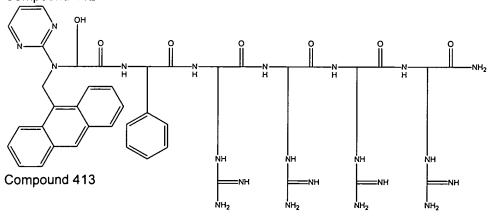
Filed: January 9, 2004 page 178 of 192



Compound 411

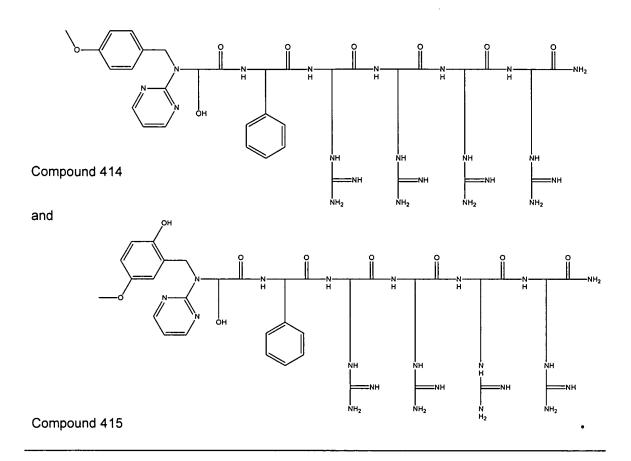


Compound 412



Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 179 of 192



89. (Original) A chemical compound having the structure:

wherein the LINKER is selected from the group consisting of the following:

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 180 of 192

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 181 of 192

90. (Original) A chemical compound having the structure:

fluorophore-LINKER-X-FRRRRK-amide (SEQ ID NO:3);

wherein F is phenylalanine; K is lysine; R is arginine; and X is serine, threonine, or tyrosine.

91. (Original) The chemical compound of claim 90, wherein the fluorophore is a

7-nitrobenz-2-oxa-1,3-diazole derivative.

92. (Withdrawn) The chemical compound of claim 90, wherein the fluorophore is a

fluorescein derivative.

93. (Withdrawn) The chemical compound of claim 90, wherein the fluorophore is

selected from the group consisting of a dansyl derivative, an acridine derivative, an Alexa

Fluor derivative, a BODIPY derivative, an Oregon Green derivative, a Rhodamine Green

derivative, a Rhodamine Red-X derivative, a Texas Red derivative, a Cascade Blue

derivative, a Cascade Yellow derivative, a Marina Blue derivative, a Pacific Blue

derivative, an AMCA-X derivative, and a coumarin derivative.

94. (Withdrawn) The chemical compound of claim 90, wherein the linker is a

metal chelating linker.

95. (Original) The chemical compound of claim 90, wherein the linker is selected

from the group consisting of a carboxamide linker, an aminobenzoic acid linker, a

sulfonamide linker, a urea linker, a thiourea linker, an ester linker, a thioester linker, an

alkylamine linker, an arylamine linker, an ether linker, and a thioether linker.

397236.1

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 182 of 192

96. (Withdrawn) The chemical compound of claim 90, wherein the linker is selected from the group consisting of N-methyl glycine, L-proline, D-proline,

97. (Original) The chemical compound of claim 90, wherein the linker is selected from the group consisting of the following:

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 183 of 192

- 98. (Original) The chemical compound of claim 90, wherein the chemical compound is a substrate for a protein kinase.
- 99. (Original) The chemical compound of claim 98, wherein the chemical compound is specific for protein kinase C.
- 100. (Original) The chemical compound of claim 99, wherein the chemical compound is specific for isoforms α , β , and γ of protein kinase C.
- 101. (Withdrawn) The chemical compound of claim 98, the chemical compound is specific for protein kinase A, protein kinase B, protein kinase D, protein kinase G, Ca⁺/calmodulin-dependent protein kinase, mitogen-activated protein kinase, protein kinase mos, protein kinase raf, protein tyrosine kinase, tyrosine kinase abl, tyrosine kinase

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 184 of 192

src, tyrosine kinase yes, tyrosine kinase fps, tyrosine kinase met, cyclin-dependent protein kinase, or cdc2 kinase.

102. (Original) The chemical compound of claim 90, wherein the chemical compound further comprises a carbohydrate, a lipid or a nucleic acid.

103-121. (Canceled)

122. (Original) A chemical compound having the structure

$$O_2N$$
 O_2N
 O_2N

123. (Previously presented) A composition comprising a chemical compound of claim 89, and a carrier.

124-126. (Canceled)

- 127. (Previously presented) The substrate of claim 60, wherein the substrate comprises a metal ion chelator.
- 128. (Original) The substrate of claim 127, wherein the metal ion is a magnesium ion or a calcium ion.

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 185 of 192

129. (Currently amended) The chemical compound of claim <u>90</u>, 94, wherein a metal ion chelator induces a change in fluorescence intensity.

130. (Original) The chemical compound of claim 129, wherein the metal ion is a

magnesium ion or a calcium ion.

131. (Original) The chemical compound of claim 129, wherein the change in

fluorescence intensity is at least a 20% change in fluorescence intensity.

132. (Canceled)

133. (Currently amended) The chemical compound of claim 90, substrate of claim

81, wherein the linker comprises a turn to position the fluorophore in a location closer to

the terminal serine, the terminal threonine or the terminal tyrosine than the location the

fluorophore would occupy in the absence of a turn in the linker.

134. (Previously presented) The chemical compound of claim 89, wherein the

linker comprises a turn to position the fluorophore in a location closer to the terminal

serine, the terminal threonine or the terminal tyrosine than the location the fluorophore

would occupy in the absence of a turn in the linker.

135-136. (Canceled)

137. (Previously presented) The composition of claim 123, wherein the

composition is a pharmaceutical composition and the carrier is a pharmaceutically

397236.1

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 186 of 192

acceptable carrier.

- 138. (Previously presented) A composition comprising the substrate of claim 49, and a carrier.
- 139. (Previously presented) The composition of claim 138, wherein the composition is a pharmaceutical composition and the carrier is a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 140. (Previously presented) A composition comprising the compound of claim 88, and a carrier.
- 141. (Previously presented) The composition of claim 140, wherein the composition is a pharmaceutical composition and the carrier is a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 142. (Previously presented) A composition comprising the compound of claim 90, and a carrier.
- 143. (Previously presented) The composition of claim 142, wherein the composition is a pharmaceutical composition and the carrier is a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

144-145. (Canceled)

146. (Previously presented) A composition comprising the compound of claim

Serial No.: 10/755,086 Filed: January 9, 2004

page 187 of 192

122, and a carrier.

147. (Previously presented) The composition of claim 146, wherein the composition is a pharmaceutical composition and the carrier is a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.